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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 6/8/2006.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1 and 4-14.
3. ☒ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☒ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08), Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date _____
7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☐ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The abstract mailed 2/25/2005 has been replaced by the following:

An anisotropically conductive connector, inhibits permanent deformation by contact of target electrodes to be connected with pressure and deformation by abrasion from occurring even if the target electrodes to be connected are those projected, achieves stable conductivity over a long period of time even when it is pressed repeatedly, and prevents or inhibits an object of connection from adhering, a production process thereof, and an inspection apparatus for circuit devices equipped with the anisotropically conductive connector. The anisotropically having an anisotropically conductive film, in which a plurality of conductive path-forming parts each extending in a thickness-wise direction of the film are arranged in a state mutually insulated by insulating parts. The anisotropically conductive film is formed by an insulating elastic polymeric substance, conductive particles exhibiting magnetism are contained in the conductive path-forming parts, and a reinforcing material formed of insulating mesh or nonwoven fabric is contained in a surface layer portion on one surface side of the anisotropically conductive film.

Conclusion

2. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. US Patent Application Publication by Yamada et al. (2005/0258850 A1).

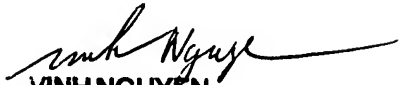
Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Richard Isla-Rodas whose telephone number is (571) 272-5056. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday 8 am to 4:30 pm.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ha Nguyen can be reached on (571) 272-1678. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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